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AVAST! INDY PARKS PIRATE SAND ADVENTURE IS COMING TO GARFIELD PARK!

INDIANAPOLIS – (July 16, 2009) Experience the Indy Parks Pirate Sand Adventure this summer at Garfield Park! Indy Parks & Recreation is bringing 200 tons of sand to life as professional sculptors create pirate-themed sand adventures. Bring the whole family for workshops, sand play zones and more!

Indy Parks Pirate Sand Adventure opens to the public at 9 a.m. Saturday, July 18, 2009! Opening Day features live performances by "The Tides" and a visit by Indianapolis Indians mascot Rowdie. Regular hours are 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesdays though Sundays July 18-Aug. 16. Call 327-PARK for more information about workshops or to schedule a group reservation.

Visit the Pirate Art Show Gallery featuring more than 25 local and national artists' original pirate-themed artwork, and try your hand at the art of sand painting during Every Day Art in the Art Center's visual art studios. While you are at Garfield Park, stroll over to the Conservatory and Sunken Garden to see our historic fountains and tropical paradise. Check out the Burrello Family Center and splash into the Garfield Park Pool. Park It at Garfield Park for the Indy Parks Pirate Sand Adventure and more!

Editors Note: Please see attached media kit for pricing for Indy Parks Pirate Sand Adventure.

Media Availability

What: Media Day at Indy Parks Pirate Sand Adventure When: 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Friday, July 17, 2009

Where: Garfield Park Arts Center, 2432 Conservatory Drive, Indianapolis IN

Details: Indy Parks Summer Supervised Play participants at Garfield Park will experience the Indy Parks

Pirate Sand Adventure while area media preview the adventure.

Bike Indy. Swim Indy. Run Indy. PLAY INDY!



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